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Fall Planting
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AUTUMN'S CHALLENGE

What, that tangy autumn nip!
Frost is on the way,
Flowers of summer bow their heads,
They have had their day.

Gardener, take the challenge up!
Now comes work for spring,
Cut down dead stalks, pull up dire weeds,
They have had their fling.

Dreams of glory fill the heart!
Tuck the brown bulbs deep,
Pack firm the earth about your plants,
They'll grow even while they sleep.

FALL PLANTING FOR THE SPRING GARDEN

NARCISSUS

ACTEA, the largest Poeticus, purest white, scarlet rimmed eye. 3 for 55c, 12 for \$2.00.

CHEERFULNESS, double, cluster flowered, creamy white. 3 for 35c, 12 for \$1.10.

DAWSON CITY, large golden yellow trumpet, a perfect flower. 3 for 75c, 12 for \$2.50.

JOHN EVELYN, pure white perianth and lemon yellow cup. 3 for 55c, 12 for \$2.00.

JONQUIL, GIANT CAMPERNELLE, deep yellow, very fragrant, borne in clusters. 3 for 35c, 12 for \$1.10.

KING ALFRED, giant trumpet, rich golden yellow. 3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.75.

MARY COPELAND, a wonderful double narcissus, white, yellow and orange in alternating petals. Each, 50c.

VON SION, double golden yellow. 3 for 35c, 12 for \$1.10.

PAPERWHITE NARCISSUS, for pebbles and water. 12 for 60c.

HOME GROWN MIXED NARCISSUS from Fisher Flower Farm. \$3.00 the hundred, 25 at the hundred rate.

GIANT TRIUMPH TULIPS

These are the superb early Darwin tulips with many surprisingly lovely color combinations.

FLORA, dark buff melting into apricot. 3 for 35c, 12 for \$1.15.

JOHANNA, salmon rose, very attractive, 3 for 35c, 12 for \$1.15.

KANSAS, pure white, yellow base, ivory stamens. 3 for 35c, 12 for \$1.15.

LORD CARNARVON, white with rose and cream edge. 3 for 30c, 12 for \$1.00.

MRS. LINDBERG, clear rose shading to deep rose. A striking beauty. 3 for 35c, 12 for \$1.15.

HARDY PLANTS FOR VERMONT GARDENS

Priced at 25 cents each, 12 for \$2.00. Varieties marked with *, 35 cents each, 12 for \$2.50, with ** 50 cents each.

MAY BLOOMING—

Arabis, the white Rock Cress; **Alyssum saxatile**, Basket of Gold; **Dwarf Iris**, yellow and violet; **Iceland Poppies**, mixed colors; ***Dicentra**, the dainty Bleeding Heart; **Mertensia**, Virginia Bluebells; **Pulmonaria**, Spotted silver leaves, pink flowers changing to blue; **Phlox subulata**, dwarf phlox, white, mauve and pink; **Phlox divaricata**, light blue Canada Phlox; **Forget-me-nots**; **Pansies**; **Violas**.

JUNE BLOOMING—

German Iris, white, yellow, lavender, orchid, blue; **Canterbury Bells**; **Peach Bells**; **Foxgloves**; **Anchusa**, dwarf and tall varieties; **Aquilegias**, the fairy Columbine; **Lemon Day Lilies**; **Hesperis**, white and mauve; **Pyrethrum**, Painted Daisies; **Valerian**, Garden Heliotrope; **Siberian Iris**; **Centaurea montana**, the perennial Cornflower; ***Heuchera**, Coral bells; **Lupines**, Russell Strain; ***Delphinium**, choice hybrids; **Oriental Poppies**. **Thalictrum aquilegifolium**, clouds of white and lavender Meadow Rue.

JULY BLOOMING—

Hollyhocks; Phlox; Coreopsis, the golden yellow Tickseed; **Gypsophila**, Baby's Breath; **Gaillardia**, like a red and yellow Indian blanket; **Shasta Daisy; Veronica**, blue Speedwell; **Lythrum**, spikes of rosy crimson; **Astilbe**, plumes of pink and rose; **Trollius**, the double Buttercup; ***Hermerocallis**, J. A. Crawford and Mrs. W. D. Wyman, both lovely Day Lilies; **Penstemon Torreyi**, a scarlet Beardstongue; **Monarda**, a raspberry rose Bee Balm; **.Thalictrum glaucum**, a sulphur yellow Meadow Rue; **Baptisia**, False Indigo; **Thermopsis**, like a tall yellow Lupine; **Malva**, pink and white Mallows.

AUGUST BLOOMING—

Phlox; Heliopsis, hardy golden yellow zinnias; **Helenium**, Sneezeweed, Golden yellow, bronzy orange, bronze; **Statice latifolia**. Sea Lavender; **Liatris**, Kansas Gayfeather; **Rudbeckia**, Purple Cone Flower; **Asclepias**, orange Butterfly Weed; **.Platycodon**, Balloon Flower; **Anemone hupehensis**, Chinese Anemone.

SEPTEMBER and OCTOBER BLOOMING—

Japanese Anemones, pink and white; **Salvia azurea**, sky blue; ***Funkia subcordata**, white September Day Lily; **Scabiosa**, goldingensis, soft lavender Pincushion Flower; ***Hardy Asters**, Barr's Pink, Harrington's Pink, Mount Everest, white, Skylands Queen, lavender; **Hardy Chrysanthemums**, the Cushion Mums in yellow, pink, bronze and white, Early Bronze, New Innocence, white. ***Clara Curtis**, single pink.

FOR ROCK GARDENS—

Arabis, **Alyssum**, **Saponaria**, **Campanula carpat-ica**, blue and white, **Siberian Wallflower**, **Chinese Delphinium**, **Spice Pinks**, **Cheddar Pinks**, **Maiden Pinks**, **Trailing Baby's Breath**, **Coral Bells**, **Yellow Flax**, **Missouri Primrose**, **Sedums** in variety, **Sempervivums**, **Hens and Chickens**, **Silene schafta**, **Thyme**, **Tunica**, **Veronica**, **Dwarf varieties**, **Forget-me-nots**, **Violas**.

DARWIN TULIPS

BLEU AIMABLE, bright orchid purple shaded steel blue. 3 for 30c, 12 for 95c.

BLUE EAGLE, very deep purple. 3 for 35c, 12 for \$1.20.

CLARA BUTT, vivid salmon rose. 3 for 25c, 12 for 85c.

FRANCOMBE SANDERS, fiery rosy scarlet, white base. A favorite. 3 for 30c, 12 for \$1.10.

PH. de COMMINES, velvety purplish maroon. 3 for 30c, 12 for \$1.10.

QUEEN OF HEARTS, lovely soft rose. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.35.

VICTORY, brilliant deep blood red. 3 for 30c, 12 for \$1.10.

SUPERFINE MIXED, 12 for 85c, \$6.50 the hundred.

BREEDER TULIPS

BACCHUS, plum purple powdered with silver dust. 3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.50.

DILLENBURG, lovely orange red, bronze yellow edge. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.25.

MAYFLOWERING TULIPS

CARRARA, purest white, ivory stamens. 3 for 35c, 12 for \$1.15.

GRENADIER, flame orange, sweetly fragrant. 3 for 30c, 12 for \$1.10.

MRS. HOAG, canary yellow, black stamens. A very graceful flower. 3 for 35c, 12 for \$1.15.

ROSABELLA, beautiful shell pink. 3 for 30c, 12 for \$1.00.

HOME GROWN TULIPS from Fisher Flower Farm in mixture. \$3.00 the hundred, 25 at the hundred rate.

PLANT PEONIES IN THE FALL

- Baroness Shroeder**, Flesh white, late, 60 cents each.
Festiva Maxima, White flaked with carmine, 50 cents each.
Fontenelle, Brilliant crimson, early, 50 cents each.
Marie Jaquin, Palest pink, big cluster of yellow stamens, 60 cents each.
P. officinalis rubra, the old fashioned early red peony. 50 cents each.
Mons. Jules Elie, Pure silvery pink, mid-season. 50 cents each.
Rosy Dawn, Single white, like a water lilly. 75 cents each.
Sarah Bernhardt, Delicate rose. 60 cents each.

LILIES

- L. candidum**. Madonna lily. Pure white. 35 cents each, 12 for \$3.00.
L. elegans. Orange scarlet. 25 cents each, 12 for \$2.50.
L. Henryi. Light apricot orange, 40 cents each, 12 for \$4.00.
L. Regale. Regal Lily. 35 cents each, 12 for \$3.00.
L. Regale Hybrida. 50 cents each, 12 for \$5.00.
L. speciosum magnificum. 75 cents each, 12 for \$7.50.

CHRISTMAS CHEER FROM VERMONT

These greens and decoratives from Vermont mountains, woods and fields make charming gifts.

BALSAM WREATHS, made alike on both sides, fragrant and lasting, trimmed with artistic combinations of berries, cones, bittersweet, love apples, red ribbon and other Christmas decorations. 10 inch wreath, 50c, \$5.00 per dozen; 14 inch wreath, \$1.00, \$10.00 per dozen; 16 inch, \$1.50; 20 inch, \$2.00; 24 inch, \$3.25; 30 inch, \$5.00

GARLANDS, any length of balsam, pine and other greens, 25c per yd. 11 yards or more, 20c per yard.

BASKET WREATHS. This wreath resembles a basket of balsam filled with cones and berries with a balsam-wound handle; for table, \$2.00 each; for doorway, \$1.50 each.

SPRAYS OF BALSAM, beautifully decorated with berries and cones for door or window, 22 inches long, \$1.00.

BERRY BOWLS containing mosses, lichens and bright red partridge berries, pint size, \$1.25.

CENTERPIECES decorated with balsam tips, red berries, cones and one candle, \$1.00; large size with 3 candles, \$2.00. Smaller sizes without candles 50c and 75c each.

RUSTIC BASKETS filled with Christmas greens, cones and berries, 75c and \$1.00.

CHRISTMAS CORSAGES, English Holly, 35c each. Combinations of native berries, cones, tiny bells, 25c and 50c each.

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